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AWARD WINNERS

PRIZES WERE GIVEN IN DOMESTIC SCIENCE CONTEST.

AN EXCELLENT EXHIBIT

Each Entrant Given a Pair of Scissors in Addition to the Prizes Offered.

The awards in the domestic science contest being held at the Normal school in connection with the teachers' association were announced this morning by the judges.

The exhibits are placed on three long tables, decorated in the Normal school colors, green and white. The same color scheme is carried out throughout the room. Autumn leaves and chrysanthemums are also used in decorating the room.

Each entrant was given a pair of Keen Kutter scissors in addition to the prizes to those who were fortunate enough to win them.

It is conservatively estimated that there were 250 entries in the contest. The aim of the contest is to encourage hand work and home work.

The agricultural awards will be announced Saturday. The corn exhibits are much better this year than last, and so far no exhibit has been barred. There are also fine exhibits of wheat, potatoes, apples, peaches, alfalfa and pears.

The following are the prize winners in the domestic science contest:

Butter.

First, Eileen Archer, Conception, Immaculate school; second, Mrs. J. F. Sowden, Maryville; third, Lurene Michael, Maryville Normal.

Work Aprons.

First, Carcella Lincoln, Pickering, Glendale; second, Elizabeth Shamberger, Maryville, Swallow; third, Hazel Moore, Barnard; fourth, Gladys Null, Pickering; fifth, Arcille Ward, Elmo, Salem.

Sponge Cake.

First, Blanche Alexander, Pickering, Long Branch; second, Anna Corken, Burlington Junction; third, Elizabeth Shamberger, Maryville, Swallow; fourth, May Hartman, Barnard, Maple Grove; fifth, Lois Hartman, Barnard, Maple Grove; sixth, Lucile Wiley, Maryville, Myrtle Tree.

Butter Cake.

First, Cecile Wiley, Maryville, Myrtle Tree; second, Lila Tabler, Maryville Normal training school; third, Georgia Kinnaman, Elmo, Union; fourth, Inez DeMotte, Hopkins, Unity; fifth, Gladys Goforth, Barnard; sixth, Lorena Palmer, Maryville, Excelsior; seventh, Geneva Smith, Burlington Junction, Butler.

Bread.

First, Eula Pearce, Barnard, B high school; second, Vera McDowell, Pickering; third, Vernia Ruddell, Skidmore, Eureka; fourth, Clella Hedrick, Burlington Junction, Hagey; fifth, Maenora Shamberger, Maryville, Swallow; sixth, Laura Higdon, Clyde, St. Joseph's academy; seventh, Mary Rundle, Stanberry.

Dolls.

First, Myrtle Ford, Maryville, Washington school; second, Mary Crowson, Pickering; third, Edith Winfrey, Graham, Liberty; fourth, Wilma Hall, Maryville, Knabb; fifth, Mildred Hall, Parnell; sixth, Edith Beattie, Barnard, Fox.

Shirt Waist.

First, Violet Jensen, Maryville, Mt. Vernon; second, Eula Shamberger, Skidmore, Normal; third, Mildred Stafford, Maryville, Normal; fourth, Opal Davidson, Barnard, Baker; fifth, Anna McCullom, Sheridan, Gaynor; sixth, Inez Hall, Parnell.

Canned Fruit.

First, Mildred Nicholas, Maryville, Bell Grove; second, Opal Jones, Maryville, Council Corner; third, Mary Hartman, Barnard, Maple Grove; fourth, Clio Coler, Skidmore, Highland; fifth, Ruth Singrey, Maryville, Casteel.

Canned Vegetables.

First, Lois Sargent, Hopkins; second, Alberta Howard, Maryville, Union; third, Beulah Fannon, Barnard; fourth, Hilma Talbott, Graham.

Fancy Apron.

First, Marie McCann, Ravenwood, Fryar; second, Lucile Snowberger, Maryville, Normal; third, Maenora Snowberger, Maryville, Swallow; fourth, Helen Rose Crawford, Maryville, Washington school; fifth, Esther Stoner, Sheridan, Lateston; sixth, Alice Lee Houston, Maryville, Bell Grove.

Geraniums.

First, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Maryville.

James Evans of Sheridan was in the city Thursday on business.

CORN FROM ARGENTINE.

W. R. Linville of Skidmore Received Some, But It Is Not Like the Corn Here.

W. R. Linville received this week and has on exhibition at the Bank of Skidmore, at Skidmore, a package of Argentine Republic corn. Much has been said of late in the commercial world about Argentine being one of the rivals of the United States in the markets of the world. And, it is one of the most highly developed and best agricultural country in South America. But if the package of corn sent here is a sample of their product the United States has nothing to fear whatever. It is no more like Reed's Yellow Dent, Johnson County White, or any other of our leading varieties grown in the middle west than the old fashioned Indian maize or squaw corn is like one of the show ears in one of our state corn contests.

No, the farmers of the United States will not all quit raising the king of cereals, because they have found a spot away down in South America that can raise squaw corn.—Skidmore New Era.

DEATH AT HOSPITAL.

John Bagatas, a Native of Greece, Died at 7:30 o'clock Thursday Evening.

John Bagatas, 40 years old, died at St. Francis hospital at 7:30 Thursday evening, after an illness of several months of appendicitis. Bagatas was a member of the Burlington railroad gang that has been at Hopkins for the past few weeks and had been in ill health for some time. He was in a hospital at Keokuk, Ia., and came to Hopkins several days ago, taking sick again on Wednesday. Thursday morning he came to Maryville and went to the hospital, being in a dying condition at that time.

Bagatas was born in Patra, Greece, and came to this country about fifteen months ago. He has no relatives in this country.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Price & McNeal undertaking rooms and burial took place in Miriam cemetery in this city. The services were conducted by Rev. Constantinos Harvalis, rector of St. John's Greek Orthodox church of Omaha, Neb. He was accompanied to the city by Charles Birbilis of Council Bluffs, Ia. A number of Greeks who are working on the Burlington near Hopkins came to Maryville this morning and attended the funeral. There were about twenty-five of them.

GYMNASIUM EXERCISES

At the Normal Gym by All of the Classes Proved to Be Popular.

The gymnasium exercises given by the various gymnasium classes of the Normal school Thursday afternoon were witnessed by a large audience, which gave every evidence of enjoying the whole program immensely.

A drill by the lower grades of the training school was given first and the little folk were certainly prize winners. They went through a series of floor exercises containing some rather difficult figures without a break and received their meed of applause from the spectators.

This was followed by a dumbbell drill given by the grammar grades of the training school.

The Normal school girls next played a game with a basket ball called end ball, and completed their portion of the program a little later with an Indian club race. Miss Beatrix Winn has charge of the girls' athletics of the Normal school and is proving herself a competent instructor.

The Normal school boys, under the direction of L. M. Eek, came next with a series of exercises on the parallel bars and the horses. From this work they went directly to a series of floor exercises. The portion of their work which seemed to please the audience most, however, was their pyramid building. Several difficult figures were set up, which elicited considerable applause from the spectators. Several exercises prepared by the boys had to be omitted because of a lack of time.

The program as a whole was a fair sample of the work that is being done each day in the gymnasium classes of the school.

Here for Teachers' Meet.

Prof. Edwin Malotte of the Kingston schools, Superintendent McClintock of the Caldwell county schools, and County Superintendent Robinson of the Clay county schools arrived in Maryville Friday noon for the teachers' meeting.

Mrs. Mary Bennett and Miss Mary Bennett went to Bolckow Friday morning, Miss Bennett to spend the week end and Mrs. Bennett to spend several days at the home of her son.

BEING HELD TODAY ALL GET PRIZES

THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF NORTHWEST MISSOURI L. O. O. F.

A BUSINESS MEETING

To Hold Banquet at 6 o'clock at Ream Hotel, After That Will Have Degree Work.

The semi-annual meeting of the Northwest Missouri Odd Fellows association is being held in this city this afternoon at the local lodge room with an attendance of 250 from the lodges from over the district. The officers of the district association are Perry A. Brubaker, St. Joseph, president; C. H. Lampton of Hamilton, vice president; W. S. Marquis of Cameron, treasurer; M. S. Royer of Laclede, chaplain; Wm. H. Young of St. Joseph, temporary secretary.

Grand Master Hamilton of St. Louis was unable to be present, but Grand Scribe Ben Weidel was here to represent the grand lodge. R. M. Abercrombie of St. Joseph, past grand master, was also in attendance.

The afternoon meeting was taken up with the business of the district association and addresses by the out-of-town visitors. At 6 o'clock a banquet will be given at the Ream hotel to the visitors, and after the dinner, lodge will again take up, when there will be degree work given.

The district is composed of fifteen counties and 125 lodges.

Nearly every one of the lodges are represented by a delegate. The seven lodges of St. Joseph sent a large number of delegates.

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Herbert Mays Arrested Here Wednesday Night at Request of St. Joseph Authorities.

Herbert Mays was arrested Wednesday night at the Oak saloon on a charge of forgery at the request of the authorities of St. Joseph. He is accused with signing the name of Sam Shneider of Arkoe to a check for \$30, the check being on the Nodaway Valley bank and cashed at a clothing store in St. Joseph.

Mays is a brother of Mrs. Joe Pulliam, and came to Maryville just recently. He denies the charge.

He was taken to St. Joseph this afternoon by one of the police officers of that city.

DEATH AT BURLINGTON JUNCTION

Mrs. Sarah Hackett, an Old Resident of That Place—Funeral Arrangements Not Made.

Mrs. Sarah Hackett of Burlington Junction, a resident for many years of that place, died Thursday morning. She was past 70 years of age. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

Mrs. Hackett is survived by nine children: Mrs. A. Williams, Miss Mary Hackett, A. A. Hackett, E. E. Hackett, J. S. Hackett and Mrs. Henry Nicholas of Burlington Junction; Mrs. Thomas Nicholas of Ft. Collins, Col., and W. S. Hackett of Clyde.

Noted Violinist to give Concert In Maryville Next Wednesday



MAUD POWELL.

One of the best numbers of the Maryville lyceum course will be on next Wednesday evening, November 5, when Maud Powell, violinist, who has

no superior among violinists, will appear in a concert at the First M. E. church. The lyceum association is at a great expense to get Maud Powell here.

HARD TO CHOOSE BEST

Miss Milla Swearingen Gets First Prize for Girls and Scott Withrow for Boys—Four Awarded.

The Winners.

Miss Milla Swearingen of Albany, first; Miss Lucile McHugh, Maitland, second; Miss Ermel Sager of Stanberry, third; Miss Grace Witmer, Grant City, fourth.

Scott Withrow, Tarkio, first; Fielding Stapleton, Albany, second; Guy Harden, Stanberry, third; Paul Wilson, Grant City, fourth.

The declamatory contest Friday night by high school students from school represented in the teachers' association now on at the Northwest Normal, was as well attended as any contests that have been given at the April track meets. The enthusiasm was different, however. It was the presence of the 1,000 teachers, we suppose, who could not be expected to give vent to the noise and hurrah that they lead or incite or in some way put the youngsters up to at the track meet and declamatory contests.

And Prof. W. R. Lowrey of Hopkins and Prof. A. H. Cooper of Grant City were there, too. They were comparatively quiet, though, the impressiveness of the occasion, as shown in the conduct of all other teachers, having the effect of suppressing their risibles for the evening at least. But they will be here at the track meet next spring with a double supply of "susysm," as a little girl said, for they certainly looked lost last night, like they would have to break out, and if it had not been for the basket ball games at 5 o'clock they surely would have.

Maulding's orchestra gave a splendid program while the crowd gathered. After County Superintendent Oakerson had made announcements concerning the program on Friday, Prof. H. P. Swinehart of the State Normal faculty was placed in charge of the exercises of the evening, and introduced each of the speakers when it came time for their effort, each having his or her place by lot. They were as follows:

Girls.

Miss Erma Sager of Stanberry, who gave "Preciosa, the Spanish Dancer," in a most charming and graceful manner.

Miss Grace Witmer of Grant City read "The Famine," from Longfellow's Hiawatha, and rendered it as well as it was ever given here previously, and in some respects better. "The Famine" has been given at contests in Maryville at least seven times, and the audience was remarkably patient and appreciative in regard to it Friday night.

Miss Milla Swearingen of Albany was winner of the first prize. She gave the story of "Dolly, Go!" with fine enthusiasm and style.

Miss Lucile McHugh of Maitland,

who won second place in the track meet declamatory contest last spring, in her rendition of "The Bear Story," won second place again with the same selection.

Boys.

Scott Withrow of Tarkio gave Senator Thurston's speech, "The Independence of Cuba," as earnestly, understandingly and eloquently, we doubt not, as it was originally given, and the audience certainly stamped its approval of the decision of the judges by the applause that followed the announcement.

Burl Wilson of Grant City won the fourth prize with his "Supposed Speech of John Adams."

Guy Harden of Stanberry gave a humorous Irish selection, "Jimmy Butler and the Owl," and was given third place. The young man surely has the Irish paddy's brogue down to a fine point, and he was a delight to everybody, faith and he was.

Fielding Stapleton of Albany was given second prize in his speech, "The Black Horse and Its Rider," a story of Benedict Arnold.

There was not an inferior speaker on the program and the judges did not have an easy thing in making their decisions. All were entitled to prizes and received them, the fourth prize being decided on by Superintendent Oakerson, when he saw how closely they stood for the honors.

The Judges.

The judges in the girls' contest were Assistant State Superintendent G. H. Reavis of Jefferson City, Prof. John Rush of Fairfax and Miss Gertrude Bennett of Oregon.

The judges in the boys' contest were Prof. Harry A. Miller of the Northwest Normal faculty, Miss Alicia Keeler of the Maryville high school faculty, and Superintendent R. J. Spiekerman of the Rock Port schools.

DEATH OF MRS. RUTH TANNER.

Passed Away Thursday Night After a Year's Illness—Burial at White Cloud.

Mrs. Ruth Jane Tanner, living at 610 North Walnut street, died Thursday night after a year's illness of complication of diseases.

The funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Price & McNeal undertaking parlors, and will be conducted by Rev. Louis M. Hale of the First Baptist church. The burial will take place in the White Cloud cemetery, six miles southwest of Maryville.

Mrs. Tanner was born in the historic county of Culpepper, Virginia, October 10, 1837, and lived there the greater part of her life. Ten years ago Christmas she came to Nodaway county with her husband, the late John W. Tanner, and made their home with their son, William Tanner, who lives near Arkoe. Mr. Tanner died seven years ago at the age of 79 years. After his death Mrs. Tanner came to Maryville to make her home with her daughter, Miss Sallie Tanner, who is a tailoress at Dietz & Keck's. When she was eighteen years of age she was converted and became a charter member of the Alum Springs Baptist church of Culpepper county, Virginia, and her membership remains with that church. She is survived by her son, William Tanner of Arkoe, and two daughters, Mrs. A. M. Hitt of Culpepper, Va., who visited her a month ago, and Miss Sallie Tanner of this city.

HELENA GIRLS WON THE GAME.

Defeated the Ravenwood Girls' Team Thursday Afternoon at Normal by a 34 to 13 Score.

The basket ball game played Thursday afternoon between the Helena and Ravenwood high schools resulted in a 34 to 13 victory for the Helena girls. The game was played at the Normal gym.

The contest was spirited throughout, but the excellent team work of the Helena girls gave them an early lead which was never overcome.

The Ravenwood team took a spurt in the last half which netted them ten points, but it came too late to help the final score materially. Miss Enslow, for the Helena team, secured a total of ten field goals, while Miss Lawson netted a majority of the points for the Ravenwood team. Summary:

Ravenwood—Lawson, Ralston, forwards; DeShazer, Steiger, centers; Bentley, Tucker, guards; Conn, substitute.

Helena—Enslow, Huffman, forwards; Thomson, Enslow, guards; Ott, Kraus, centers.

Field goals—Lawson 3, Ralston, Enslow 10, Huffman 3.

Free throws—Lawson 4, Enslow 4, Huffman 4.

Referee—Eek.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathis and son went to Eagleville Friday morning for a few days' visit with their parents.

INTEREST PUPILS

PRESENT SUBJECT SO THAT IT WILL BE GOTTEN BY ABSORPTION

NOT BY REPETITION

Says Dr. J. L. Merriam in Lecture—Dr. Edward A. Steiner Gives Interesting Talk.

Friday morning's program of the joint teachers' association commenced at 9 o'clock, when the sectional meetings convened in the various rooms of the Normal. These meetings were conducted by the county superintendents of the counties in the association.

At 10 o'clock Dr. J. L. Merriam of the department of school supervision of Missouri university lectured. Dr. Merriam pleaded for a more effective system of teaching. The present school system is neither normal or natural. The teacher must get in touch with the pupil and teach reading, spelling and arithmetic by not teaching them. That is to say, present the subjects in such a way that the knowledge may be of use or pleasure at the present time, and shall be gotten rather by absorption than parrot-wise repetition.

Dr. Edward A. Steiner of Grinnell college spoke at 11 o'clock on "Function and Privilege." The importance of speech and of our national tongue was stressed. "The spiritual began to develop in the savage when he found that he could communicate to his neighbor. Speech at the proper time is also another golden virtue."

The lecturer emphasized the fact that teaching is the greatest privilege in the world. The wars of the future will be settled in the school room rather than the battlefield, and the pacification of Germany and England was cited as a proof of this. The importance of preparation by the teacher was spoken of, and of the doing of each thing well.

This afternoon's meeting was taken up with various school problems.

This evening's session will open with a lecture on "Dad, Mother and the Schoolmarm," by Prof. Walter S. Athearn of Drake university, Ia. After the lecture a reception will follow to be given by the Normal.

Yesterday afternoon's program commenced with a musical program given by the pupils of the Albany high school.

Following Dr. Steiner's lecture the sectional meetings convened in the Normal school auditorium under the direction of Superintendent W. M. Oakerson. The discussion of the day was "How the County Superintendent May Aid the teacher." The question was responded to by W. W. Hall of Andrew county on "The Teacher's Viewpoint," and by Mrs. Mora Early of Worth county on "The Superintendent's Viewpoint."

The secondary schools held their meeting in the Normal school library under the direction of G. C. Allen of the Albany schools.

These meetings are of much practical value, especially to the teacher.

SATURDAY'S PROGRAM FOR THE TEACHERS' MEETING

Forenoon session.

Chairman, Mrs. Sallie V. Grebe, superintendent Atchison county.

Devotional service, conducted by Rev. S. D. Harkness.

Solo, Miss Nellie Wray.

Reading, Prof. Harry Miller.

Solo, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.

Business session.

10:00—Lecture, Miss Mabel Carney, Normal university, Normal, Ill.

11:00—Lecture, "The Earmarks of an Educated Man," Prof. Walter S. Athearn, Des Moines.

Afternoon session.

1:30—Concert by Miss Alma Nash's orchestra.

2:00—Address, Hon. John T. Barker, attorney general of the state.

E. S. Grubb, who claims to be a newspaper man with many years of experience, was locked up in the county jail Thursday night, being under the influence of intoxicating liquors. Grubb claims that he was formerly on the editorial staff of the Washington Post. He was turned loose Friday.

Lewis W. Thompson, president of the Thompson Securities company of St. Louis, was in the city Friday. Mr. Thompson was here looking over the 102 drainage bonds with a view of buying them.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday.

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Celebrating Hallowe'en in Maloney's Lot.

(By Homer Croy.)

There is a movement on foot for a safe and sane Hallowe'en that I am heartily in favor of. Ever since a certain thing happened in my youth, I have been in favor of a quiet, restful Hallowe'en.

When I was a boy, no person more enjoyed taking a gate off its hinge and carrying it over into Andrew county than the intellectual giant who is writing these lines. But a thing happened in my youth that changed me over to the progressives.

I used to think that the greatest fun in the world was to tear up a sidewalk, the last night in October, or to tie a large roan cow on somebody's back porch; but no longer do I believe in such pastimes. A thing happened one night that changed my views about Hallowe'en.

One night two other young mental athletes who would graduate from high school in the spring, and I were passing Mr. Maloney's house, when an idea struck me. In a few minutes I was myself again and suggested that we take Mr. Maloney's wagon and put it on the ridgepole of his barn. He had selected a large, heavy wagon for his use, and it wall all we could do to get it up on the fence for the first lift. I was under one corner, lifting with all my might, with my tongue sticking out, when something happened. I cannot lift unless I have my tongue out. If I am lifting and somebody comes along and put my tongue back, I had just as well quit.

It is queer what eccentricities mental giants have.

While I was lifting with all my might and my tongue, a sharp, unpleasant voice was heard in the yard. I recognized it as a belonging to Mr. Maloney, who moves pianos for a livelihood. I turned, and in the pale iridescent moonlight I noticed that Mr. Maloney was accompanied by a large, determined bulldog. I did not feel drawn toward the dog, but some way or other the dog seemed to be attracted by me.

About the time I noticed Mr. Maloney and his traveling companion, the other two boys who were helping me put Mr. Maloney's wagon upon the roof of his barn out of harm's way left. My two assistants did not say where they were going, but I knew that it was not any place close. I wanted to go with them, but I was detained by the wagon. The wagon had settled back on me. Its whole weight was on my shoulders, so that my legs vibrated with the responsibility. I could not get out from under it; all I could do was to stand there and be its Atlas. I had never studied up on Atlas and had no desire for the job, but it was dropped on me. Mr. Maloney came up and punched Atlas in the ribs. Mr. Maloney, although a gifted piano mover, showed great skill in punching the man under the wagon. Endog stepped up to the man under the wagon and planted his teeth in his tibia. This tended to make the man under the wagon more anxious to be on his way.

I told Mr. Maloney that we three were sorry and explained to him that the other two had gone off to be alone in their grief and that if he would help me down with the wagon I would join them in their sorrow. Mr. Maloney helped me out from under the wagon and turned to give me some advice with his hands, but I had gone to join my companions. The dog tried to follow me, but in a few minutes he was left alone panting and disappointed. I hated to go off and leave the dog alone that way, especially when he evidenced such a great desire to keep up with me; but something told me that it was for the best. I felt that he had been with me long enough. After a bull dog with rough, uneven teeth has been with me awhile, I can go off by myself without any deep regret.

When we three young men, who had been so lately engaged in the wagon business, got together three miles south of town a few minutes later, we decided to say nothing about the matter. From that night on, Hallowe'en has lost its charm for me.

I, for one, would not weep until none could bring me solace were the custom of celebrating that night entirely done away with. I am now an advocate of the safe and sane Hallowe'en—especially among men who keep coarse-mannered bulldogs.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Memorial Services Saturday.

The president of the Woman's Relief Corps requests the members to meet at the K. P. hall Saturday afternoon promptly at 2 o'clock, to practice for the memorial service at 3 o'clock, in honor of the departed members. The G. A. R. comrades are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. Moore Will Be Hostess.

The Young Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Charles C. Moore, 118½ Kuchs flats. The assistants for the social hour are Miss Gladys Ford, Mrs. Roy Collins and Mrs. Rolla Alexander.

A Complimentary to Dr. Day.

Dr. Edna Day of Lawrence, Kan., who lectured before the teachers' association at the State Normal Friday afternoon, will be honored with a dinner at the Linville hotel Friday evening by the girls of the Sigma Delta Chi sorority. Dr. Day is the guest of Miss Hettie Anthony of the Normal faculty while in the city.

Will Hear Melba in Kansas City.

Miss Nellie Douglas accompanied Mrs. J. W. McMillan of St. Joseph to her home Friday morning and will be her guest until Saturday, and a member of the two box parties of Mrs. McMillan's voice pupils at the Auditorium Friday night, when Pasquale Amato sings. Mrs. McMillan and a number of her pupils will hear Melba in Kansas City next month.

Conservatory Party Will Hear Amato.

A party made up mostly of teachers and pupils of the Maryville Conservatory went to St. Joseph Friday evening to hear Pasquale Amato sing at the Auditorium. They are Miss Mary Hughes, Miss Katherine Helwig, Miss Lucile Baylis, Miss Hazel Everhart, Miss Martha Koch, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Grace Danner, Miss Wilma Mills, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Alice Porter, Miss Geneva Willey, Prof. W. M. Westbrook and Director P. O. London.

A Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Swaney of Burlington Junction planned and successfully carried out a surprise party last Saturday night in honor of the sixteenth birthday of their son Henry. The evening was spent in playing games, after which a delicious supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. June Swaney and Miss Ocie Oia Swaney. Those present beside the host, hostess and their honored son, were Mrs. Nelson Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. June Swaney and daughter, Mr. James Edwards, Misses Neva Pence, Nola and Iva Farris, Grace Murphy, Sadie, Ethel and Ocie Swaney, Gertrude Edwards, Manda Buzzard and Verda

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The latest styles, quality and fabrics. Prices to suit your purse. We extend a cordial invitation to look over this line.

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You Should Have a Savings Account with the

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Keep Your Savings where you know they will be safe. The oldest bank in Nodaway county, with its large Capital and Surplus, and its long record for safe banking, offers you every possible safe guard for your Savings.

4 per cent interest paid on Certificates of Deposit if left to remain one year or longer.

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A BANK FOR SAVINGS



Munsingwear!

For Men and Boys

Has it been your experience, after the first washing, to find the shape and fit gone for good?

Try Munsingwear.

In Munsingwear the fit and shape are never lost, no matter how often they are washed.

A complete assortment of sizes, in all grades from the all cotton at \$1.00 and \$1.50; mercerized at \$2.00; to the wool at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 per suit, can be found here.

Wear and Comfort—

That's what every man looks for in shoes.

We have them both in Selz Shoes.

Good Work Shoes, plain or cap toe, at \$2.95 and \$3.00.

Selz Royal Blue Shoes, in gun metal, vici and tan, both button and lace at \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Selz Perfecto and Windsor at \$3.00 and \$3.50.

Your money's worth or your money back.

Watch Our Windows! Always Something New!

Berney Harris
MARYVILLE'S ONLY
ONE PRICED CLOTHIER

Home From Wyoming.

Mrs. Vada Halley returned Friday noon from a several weeks' visit with her son, Gilbert Halley, of Sheridan, Wyo.

W. H. Whitney is offering a special inducement to auto students for the next 10 days. Enroll now and save money.

CATARRHAL TROUBLE ENDED—USE HYOMEI

You Breathe It—No Stomach Dosings—Clears the Head.

Use nature's remedy for catarrh, or cold in the head, one that is harmless yet quick and effective.

It is the healing oils and balsams of Hyomei which you breathe through a small pocket inhaler. This curative and antiseptic air reaches the most remote air cells in the nose, throat and lungs, killing the catarrhal germs, stopping the offensive breath, raising of mucus, droppings in the throat, crusts in the nose and all other catarrhal symptoms.

The complete outfit costs only \$1.00 and Orear-Henry Drug Co. will return your money if not satisfied. Do not continue to suffer catarrhal ills—try Hyomei now—today.

INSURANCE

Did You Say

Yes here we are six strong old line companies; for all business we can get.

Chas. Hyslop

SEE IF THE CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

Mother! Don't Hesitate! If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 400.
Hogs—24,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 13,000.
Sheep—17,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,000. Market steady.
Hogs—Market 5c lower; top, \$7.95.
Sheep—7,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—600. Market steady.
Hogs—Market 5c lower; top, \$7.90.
Sheep—2,500. Market strong.

TO MAKE WAR ON FIRE.

Insurance Superintendent Revelle Proposes Dividing State Into Thirty Districts and Holding Meetings.

Superintendent of Insurance Revelle has formulated a plan to organize the state into about thirty-five fire prevention districts and will hold a meeting at some accessible place in each district as soon as practicable. He will personally attend each one of these meetings and in conjunction with Means Ray, chief clerk in the insurance department, will aid in the organization and deliver an address and make suggestions as to how to reduce the fire loss and the insurance costs. Governor Major will attend as many as possible and speak along similar lines. Representatives from each town and community will be invited and urged to attend and become members of the local organization.

Revelle has addressed a communication to each fire insurance company doing business in the state requesting the active co-operation of the officials and their numerous agents. He says there are three principal reasons for reducing fire waste: In order to conserve the resources of the state which are being too rapidly consumed, to prevent the injuring and killing of human beings, and in order to reduce insurance rates.

In this connection he says that rates are based on losses and the cost of insurance can, and will, be reduced in proportion as losses are reduced.

Star Theater.

Return engagement of the Chicago Bio-Scenograph company with entire change of program is announced by Manager Miller for next week, starting Monday. Will be "The Top o' the World" and ten other big subjects. The prices will remain at 10 and 5 cents throughout.

A \$50,000 ORCHARD.

The W. W. Grigsby Apple Orchard Contains 100 Acres—Among the Finest in the State.

The W. W. Grigsby orchard is one of the show places of Nodaway county, and it is estimated that this orchard will net the owner \$50,000 or more this year, this figure being based on what fruit has already been sold. The orchard consists of 110 acres, and is said to be among the finest in the state. The Burlington Junction Post, in speaking of Mr. Grigsby's orchard, says:

Mr. Grigsby's success has taken work and care—but it is worth it. He sprays the trees thoroughly and does not let any live stock in the orchard. The grass is cut each summer and the soil is very soft and porous. It is said that Mr. Grigsby has offered \$10 to anybody who will find a worm in his orchard. None of the lower branches are cut from the trees and most of the apples can be picked by a man standing on the ground. It is the owner's theory that the wind will not shake as many off if the trees are allowed to grow close to the ground, and the fruit is of better quality.

These figures show that the famous fruit belts of the west are no better than the orchards in Missouri if the same care and cultivation is used. In Oregon, California and other western states where such fine fruit is produced the entire orchard is given about the same care as a garden. The result is that the ground yields a gross income of \$500 to \$1,500 an acre, and Mr. Grigsby's success shows that the same can be accomplished in the middle west if the same methods are used.

Bring your car to W. H. Whitney and have it over-hauled. Will guarantee to furnish parts for any make of car. All work guaranteed.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Pictures

Special Prices

On our new line of holiday pictures. Come in and see our display.

HOTCHKIN'S

Variety Store

Dark Days Coming!

With the shortening of the hours of daylight the strain upon the eyes becomes greater, with its consequent effect upon the vision.

Have Your Eyes Examined NOW.

Those just bordering upon the time when they need glasses will do well to attend to it at once, while those already wearing them should see to it that they still fit as they ought to. Good eyesight can be fostered just as you can preserve anything else with proper care.

Come in Now.

Raynes Brothers
Opticians and Eyeglass Makers
108 E. 2nd St. Phone 4-1111

You may regard an Overcoat as a 'necessary evil' a garment for protection only. We don't. The right sort of an overcoat requires a rather large element of style—appearance counts, you know. And if you want to be regarded as a smart dresser you need one of these Overcoats. English styles? Surely. Belted back models? No end to them. Foreign fabrics? Yes, indeed. In a word completeness. The display at \$15, \$20 and \$25 afford a splendid opportunity to satisfy personal preferences to a nicety.



\$10 overcoats here that have \$15 price tickets elsewhere—but if you economize for any reason, here's your opportunity—\$10.

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Company

DON'T FEED STANDING STALKS.

The Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., Says That It Is Dangerous.

The department of agriculture at Washington, D. C., has given out the following statement in regard to the danger of turning cattle into fields with standing stalks, and goes to show that stalks should be cut and cured and fed in the barnyard:

"Farmers in the corn belt, especially in the middle and upper Mississippi valley, have at various periods experienced loss of cattle pastured on standing corn stalks after the corn has been harvested in the autumn.

"An element of mystery has surrounded the death of cattle in these instances. The disease is characterized by a very rapid course; in fact, very commonly there are not premonitory symptoms, and it is not unusual for the owner upon visiting the field in the morning to find one or more fat cattle dead which in the previous evening were apparently in excellent health.

"Another peculiarity of the disease is that losses may occur on one farm or in one field while cattle on an adjoining farm or in an adjacent field may be free from the affection.

"Various investigators in the past have attempted to discover some germ or some toxic substance which might be determined as the cause of this condition, but thus far the cause of the disease has not been established.

"As death to stock from this affection is generally sudden and there is little opportunity for treatment, animals should not be turned into a field with standing stalks.

"As a matter of fact the disease may be actually prevented by cutting the stalks early and only feeding them after they have been carefully cured and removed from the field. Losses from feeding on standing corn stalks emphasize the economic value of cutting the corn and feeding the stalks in the barnyard or corral, or, better still, shredding the dry stalks, under which conditions they may be fed with the least possible waste.

"The so-called cornstalk disease should not be confused with poisoning from eating sorghum. Deaths among stock from eating sorghum have been traced to prussic acid poisoning, which poison the sorghum under certain conditions of growth has been found to contain in combination."

We Are Ready

To handle all kinds of repair work, engraving, etc., and will be able to get all work out promptly.

Our new stock of Jewelry is not all here, but New Goods are arriving daily, and we hope to have everything on display in a few days.

DeHart & Holmes

MARYVILLE'S LIVE JEWELERS

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List Your Property With Us

If you want your land, lots, or other property sold this is the place to list it.

We have plenty of city property, also farms, etc., for sale. See us.

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This is headquarters for the North American Life Insurance Co. Let us write your policy.

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South Side of Square

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TEACHERS INDORSE IT

PATHE WEEKLY

The latest current events in motion pictures.

"The Mothering Heart"

A Feature In Two Parts

The Mothering Heart. Always mothering something the girl came into her own. So through the mother spirit she yielded to her young advisor's persuasions. Soon her sacrificing heart brightened the path of the struggling husband—her own heart-aches forgotten for her loved one. With prosperity came the idle woman and a young wife's struggle against the truth. A new light broke, then darkened, but shone again the clearer.

The EMPIRE of Course



Adler's
Collegian Clothes
Suits and Overcoats
\$15 to \$35

WE are setting the pace in men's clothing with those nobby Adler's Collegian Suits and Overcoats. Real character, excellence of tailoring and superb ball-wool fabrics make them winners. Call and we will show you surprising values.

M. NUSBAUM

Miss Beulah Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Taylor of near Hopkins, who has been attending the high school at Boone, Ia., was in Maryville Friday on her way home on account of sickness.

Miss Mary Margaret Richey went to St. Joseph Friday morning to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Richey, who will be the guest of Miss Eva Montgomery until after the Amato concert.

NOTICE

We have sold our coal business to J. H. Gray, a man who is better known in Maryville than we are and needs no word of commendation from us. We will take no orders for coal in our own name after November 1st. All orders taken by us prior to that time will be filled according to agreement. We give our personal guarantee for that.

We are not selling out because we do not like Maryville, her people or the people of the surrounding country, for we have enjoyed (notwithstanding we were entire strangers) a very liberal and increasing patronage all the time, which makes us have a very warm place in our hearts for the people with whom we have come in contact.

Again thanking you for your liberal patronage and courteous treatment, we bespeak for our successor a liberal share of your patronage.

Truly your servant,

W. B. PORTER

ATTENTION

We have an attractive advertising proposition we will explain to any one wishing to sell their farm or town property. Call and have a talk with us at once.

We Write City Insurance

Representing three of the largest companies doing business in the United States.

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202½ N. Main St.

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Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion, Saturday, Nov. 1, 1913

HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS and SHEEP—
All kinds and classes. Boars of all breeds, and some choice gilts.

What do you want to sell?

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

NOTE OF WARNING TO BUSINESS MEN

Hill and Vanderlip Talk to Investment Bankers.

NOW TIME TO SHOW COURAGE

Railroad Builder Declares Timid Financiers Are Allowing Recession to Develop—Says Country Is Waterlogged With Bonds—Fiat Money Peril.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—James J. Hill and Frank A. Vanderlip, the speakers at the banquet that closed the convention here of the Investment Bankers' Association of America, each sounded a note of warning to the business interests of the country. Mr. Hill, whose subject was "Railroad Financing of the Future," declared that "the country is waterlogged with bonds. Confidence cannot be restored," he said, "until the name bond has won back something of its old standard."

Mr. Hill said that timidity on the part of financiers was allowing a recession to develop. "This is the time for men to show courage," he asserted. "If big men are not willing to accept their responsibilities they should lay them down. If responsible men would do their part the depression would not last. As for the politicians, it is useless to hope that they will put themselves out of a job by keeping quiet."

Vanderlip Sees Fiat Money Peril. Mr. Vanderlip said that congress was in danger of saddling on the country a ruinous policy of fiat money. The senate, he said, was hesitating and fearful of doing anything against the wishes of the house.

Mr. Vanderlip spoke on the pending banking legislation. "The fatal defect of the Glass bill," he said, "is that it starts the country on an issue of fiat currency. The notes proposed are fiat notes. They have no reserve whatever provided by the government and they are to be loaned without limit to a number of banks."

"There is no case in all history where a nation has started on an issue of fiat money that the result has not been a complete breakdown of the financial system of that country."

Mr. Vanderlip urged, instead of regional banks, a single central bank owned by the people and under government control.

NORRIS IS NONPARTISAN

Senator From Nebraska Sends Answer to Progressives.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Senator Norris left for Massachusetts, where he is to campaign in behalf of his former colleague Representative A. P. Gardner, candidate for governor on the Republican ticket. His principal opponent is a Progressive, Charles S. Bird.

Certain Nebraska Progressive supporters of Senator Norris wired him expressing disapproval that he did not support Bird instead of Gardner. The senator has sent them a letter giving his reasons for supporting Gardner. They are based on the fight the two made against Speaker Cannon and so called boss rule.

"I am not married to any name," he said. "Personally, I am practically non-partisan and unless Progressives can in some way get together I shall support known progressives against known standpatters regardless of party affiliations."

CENTRAL BANK PROVES SNAG

Prevents Progress in Consideration of Currency Bill.

Washington, Oct. 31.—The proposed government-controlled central bank plan prevented progress again in the senate committee's consideration of the administration currency bill. After an all-day discussion of the number of regional banks to be created to administer the proposed new system, the committee adjourned without taking a vote on a single proposition.

Discussion of the question involved any number of regional banks from three to fifteen. Senator Owen, leading the administration adherents on the committee, proposed the number be reduced from twelve to ten. This was accepted as the extent to which the president is willing to go in his concession that the number should be reduced.

Rail Commissioners Adopt Substitute

Washington, Oct. 31.—Another determined effort to have the so called "state's rights" resolution adopted by the National Association of Railway Commissioners resulted in the adoption of a substitute offered by Commissioner Eselman of California which, without going into constitutional questions, declared it "the sense of this association that no legislation by congress at this time attempting to enlarge the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission over commerce is necessary or desirable."

Officers and Students Battle. Minneapolis, Oct. 31.—A dozen policemen and a score of detectives engaged in a desperate battle with 500 University of Minnesota students, high school boys and other sympathizers at a local theater. Clarence Windmiller, a doorman at the theater, was knocked unconscious and two students, Giles McHenry and F. L. Rafferty, alleged ringleaders in the riot, were locked up in police headquarters.

INDIGESTION CURED, STOMACH FEELS FINE

Time "Pape's Diapepsin" In Five Minutes All Sourness, Gas, Heartburn and Dyspepsia is Gone.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and stubborn lumps; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all stomach misery vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak, out-of-order stomachs that gives it its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home.—Advertisement.

COURT NEXT TUESDAY.

Adjournment Taken Thursday to That Time When Judge Peery Will Sit as Judge.

Circuit court adjourned Thursday afternoon to next Tuesday, when Judge J. W. Peery of Albany will sit as special judge in the case of Elizabeth Growney vs. Patrick J. O'Donnell.

In the case of Harriett D. Fine et al. vs. Nellie V. Morehouse et al., partition, motion for rehearing was overruled and appeal granted to the supreme court.

C. H. Nold Lumber company vs. Minerva McKee et al., mechanics' lien, judgment given to the plaintiff against building for \$756.55. Appeal granted to the Kansas City court of appeals.

MRS. W. W. LAKE

Tells Others How to Get Strong and Well.

Mrs. W. W. Lake of Aberdeen, Miss., says: "The gripe had left me in a weak, run down condition from which I suffered for some time. I tried different remedies but nothing seemed to do me any good until I took Vinol, from which I received great benefit. My cough is almost entirely gone and I am strong and well again, and I am glad to recommend Vinol to others who suffer as I did."

Mrs. Lake's recovery was due to the combined action of the medicinal elements extracted from cods' livers—combined with the blood making and strength creating properties of tonic iron, which are contained in Vinol, and her cough disappeared as a natural result.

We guarantee that Vinol will do all we claim and will pay back your money if Vinol does not satisfy you. O'Keefe-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

National Prohibition Indorsed.

Indianapolis, Oct. 31.—A resolution indorsing national prohibition and the campaign of the National Anti-Saloon league to suppress the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages was adopted by the national convention of Methodist men amid great applause.

Actor Freed of Mann Act Charge.

Baltimore, Oct. 31.—Grover C. Rosenthal, an actor of New York, charged with violation of the Mann white slave act, was acquitted in the federal district court.

Glasses that Fit the Eyes Correctly TESTS FREE

Prices Reasonable.

H. T. CRANE

Jeweler and Optician.

Yellow Chrysanthemums for Hallowe'en

We have plenty of them, also other colors, 15c, 20c and 25c each. Made-up baskets for Hallowe'en parties and decorations, all sizes and prices from 50c each up. Also plenty of roses, carnations, violets, etc. We deliver any size order promptly.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

1001 South Main St. Phones 17.

This Column Belongs to

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Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank

TO OUR FRIENDS

We want 100 farms and city properties to sell at once.

We are going to revise our list and publish a new booklet. If you want in list your property at once with us.

We have a number of farms and city properties for sale. Do you want to buy? Come see us.

If you want to rent your farm or city property let us know.

Don't forget we own most complete up-to-date abstract books, make farm and city loans, write all kinds of insurance, and are prepared to make abstracts promptly, examine titles, invest trust funds and transact all branches in our line with care and celerity. All business confidential.

Safety vault and boxes for use of customers.

Entrust your business with us. Many years successful business without a dollar loss to a client is our best guarantee.

WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

WANTED—A young man to shuck corn. Farmers phone 23-12. S. P. Houston. 30-1

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, fall and spring farrow. Write or call 1-13 Farmers. A. B. Dowden, route 3.

FOR SALE—Household goods and canned fruit, at 207 West Ninth street. Mrs. Loyd Miles. 29-31

FOR SALE—Two 6-foot show cases in good condition. Andrews & Hempstead. 29-31

Telephone us your order for plumbing or repairs. We will be on the job promptly. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Work on farm by man and wife. Louis Ripe, 2704 Merry street, St. Joseph, Mo. 31-2

WANTED—A horse for its keep; light driving and good care guaranteed. T. F. Drayton, Ream hotel, city. 31-2

THE NU BONE CORSET. Boning and fit guaranteed. Saturdays Parisian Millinery. Phone 3725. Mrs. Anna Day. 16-11

FOR SALE—22 yearling steers around 700 pounds. W. D. Hoshor, Maryville. R. No. 4 Maryville. Barnard phone. 30-1

POLAND-CHINAS—Four thoroughbred males, from 700-pound 2-year-old hog, at Hosmer's sale next Saturday. E. E. Woodward, Arkoe. 29-31

NO MYSTERY about the way we do good work. Expert tailors always give satisfaction. Becker, clothes doctor. 209½, North Main.

FOR SALE—Poland China pigs male and female. Also male Jersey calf. Inquire of Alfred Allen, West Third street, Maryville. 8-11

FOR SALE—Young pure bred Short-horn bulls, Scotch and Scotch topped Reds and roans. E. Ogden & Son Maryville. 6-11

WANTED—To trade a new 1913 Singer sewing machine for a good, sound horse; must be young and weigh not less than 1,000 pounds. T. F. Drayton, Ream hotel, city. 31-2

FOR SALE—80 acres 6 miles south-west of Maryville. Good improvements, also nearly new Ford touring car fully equipped. Will trade car for live stock. See me if interested. Howard Greeson, R. 4, Maryville, or Farmers phone 15-11. 29-11

FOR SALE—Eight sucking mules, 9-year-old jack, mammoth; coach horse. Colts will prove reputations. One of F. P. Robinson's mammoth spotted male pigs. Will sell all or one-half of my 313 acre farm. Will rent all for cash. R. T. Lamar, E. mo. Mo. 47-1

FOR SALE OR RENT—At once, a good upright piano. Enquire at this office. Terms are reasonable. 31-2

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Office over First National bank.
Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
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Women's and Children's Diseases.
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Calls answered promptly day and night. Phone 429.

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Real estate, merchandise, registered stock and farm sale auctioneer. Terms reasonable. For information or dates phone No. 16 or No. 8. Burlington Junction, Mo.

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Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 208.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, OCT. 31, 1913.

NO. 129.

AWARD WINNERS

PRIZES WERE GIVEN IN DOMESTIC SCIENCE CONTEST.

AN EXCELLENT EXHIBIT

Each Entrant Given a Pair of Scissors in Addition to the Prizes Offered.

The awards in the domestic science contest being held at the Normal school in connection with the teachers' association were announced this morning by the judges.

The exhibits are placed on three long tables, decorated in the Normal school colors, green and white. The same color scheme is carried out throughout the room. Autumn leaves and chrysanthemums are also used in decorating the room.

Each entrant was given a pair of Keen Kutter scissors in addition to the prizes to those who were fortunate enough to win them.

It is conservatively estimated that there were 250 entries in the contest. The aim of the contest is to encourage hand work and home work.

The agricultural awards will be announced Saturday. The corn exhibits are much better this year than last, and so far no exhibit has been barred. There are also fine exhibits of wheat, potatoes, apples, peaches, alfalfa and pears.

The following are the prize winners in the domestic science contest:

Butter.
First, Eileen Archer, Conception, Immaculate school; second, Mrs. J. F. Sowden, Maryville; third, Lurene Michael, Maryville Normal.

Work Aprons.
First, Carcella Lincoln, Pickering, Glendale; second, Elizabeth Shamberger, Maryville, Swallow; third, Hazel Moore, Barnard; fourth, Gladys Null, Pickering; fifth, Arcille Ward, Elmo, Salem.

Sponge Cake.
First, Blanche Alexander, Pickering, Long Branch; second, Anna Corken, Burlington Junction; third, Elizabeth Shamberger, Maryville, Swallow; fourth, May Hartman, Barnard, Maple Grove; fifth, Lois Hartman, Barnard, Maple Grove; sixth, Lucile Wiley, Maryville, Myrtle Tree.

Butter Cake.
First, Cecile Wiley, Maryville, Myrtle Tree; second, Lila Tabler, Maryville Normal training school; third, Georgia Kinnman, Elmo, Union; fourth, Inez DeMotte, Hopkins, Unity; fifth, Gladys Goforth, Barnard; sixth, Lorena Palmer, Maryville, Excelsior; seventh, Geneva Smith, Burlington Junction, Butler.

Bread.
First, Eula Pearce, Barnard, B high school; second, Vera McDowell, Pickering; third, Vernila Ruddell, Skidmore, Eureka; fourth, Clella Hedrick, Burlington Junction, Hagey; fifth, Maenora Shamberger, Maryville Swallow; sixth, Laura Higdon, Clyde, St. Joseph's academy; seventh, Mary Rundle, Stanberry.

Dolls.
First, Myrtle Ford, Maryville, Washington school; second, Mary Crowson, Pickering; third, Edith Winfrey, Graham, Liberty; fourth, Wilma Hall, Maryville, Knabb; fifth, Mildred Hall, Parnell; sixth, Edith Beattie, Barnard, Fox.

Shirt Waist.
First, Violet Jensen, Maryville, Mt. Vernon; second, Eula Shamberger, Skidmore, Normal; third, Mildred Stafford, Maryville, Normal; fourth, Opal Davidson, Barnard, Baker; fifth, Anna McCullom, Sheridan, Gaynor; sixth, Inez Hall, Parnell.

Canned Fruit.
First, Mildred Nicholas, Maryville, Bell Grove; second, Opal Jones, Maryville, Council Corner; third, Mary Hartman, Barnard, Maple Grove; fourth, Clio Coler, Skidmore, Highland; fifth, Ruth Singrey, Maryville, Casteel.

Canned Vegetables.
First, Lois Sargent, Hopkins; second, Alberta Howard, Maryville, Union; third, Beulah Fannon, Barnard; fourth, Hilma Talbott, Graham.

Fancy Apron.
First, Marie McCann, Ravenwood, Fryar; second, Lucile Snowberger, Maryville, Normal; third, Maenora Snowberger, Maryville, Swallow; fourth, Helen Rose Crawford, Maryville, Washington school; fifth, Esther Stoner, Sheridan, Luteston; sixth, Alice Lee Houston, Maryville, Bell Grove.

Geraniums.
First, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Maryville.

James Evans of Sheridan was in the city Thursday on business.

CORN FROM ARGENTINE.

W. R. Linville of Skidmore Received Some, But It is Not Like the Corn Here.

W. R. Linville received this week and has on exhibition at the Bank of Skidmore, at Skidmore, a package of Argentine Republic corn. Much has been said of late in the commercial world about Argentine being one of the rivals of the United States in the markets of the world. And, it is one of the most highly developed and best agricultural country in South America. But if the package of corn sent here is a sample of their product the United States has nothing to fear whatever. It is no more like Reed's Yellow Dent, Johnson County White, or any other of our leading varieties grown in the middle west than the old fashioned Indian maize or squaw corn is like one of the show ears in one of our state corn contests.

No, the farmers of the United States will not all quit raising the king of cereals, because they have found a spot away down in South America that can raise squaw corn.—Skidmore News Era.

DEATH AT HOSPITAL.

John Bagatas, a Native of Greece, Died at 7:30 o'Clock Thursday Evening.

John Bagatas, 40 years old, died at St. Francis hospital at 7:30 Thursday evening, after an illness of several months of appendicitis. Bagatas was a member of the Burlington railroad gang that has been at Hopkins for the past few weeks and had been in ill health for some time. He was in a hospital at Keokuk, Ia., and came to Hopkins several days ago, taking sick again on Wednesday. Thursday morning he came to Maryville and went to the hospital, being in a dying condition at that time.

Bagatas was born in Patra, Greece, and came to this county about fifteen months ago. He has no relatives in this country.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Price & McNeal undertaking rooms and burial took place in Miriam cemetery in this city. The services were conducted by Rev. Constantinos Harvalis, rector of St. John's Greek Orthodox church of Omaha, Neb. He was accompanied to the city by Charles Birbilis of Council Bluffs, Ia. A number of Greeks who are working on the Burlington near Hopkins came to Maryville this morning and attended the funeral. There were about twenty-five of them.

GYMNASIUM EXERCISES

At the Normal Gym by All of the Classes Proved to Be Popular.

The gymnasium exercises given by the various gymnasium classes of the Normal school Thursday afternoon were witnessed by a large audience, which gave every evidence of enjoying the whole program immensely.

A drill by the lower grades of the training school was given first and the little folk were certainly prize winners. They went through a series of floor exercises containing some rather difficult figures without a break and received their meed of applause from the spectators.

This was followed by a dumbbell drill given by the grammar grades of the training school.

The Normal school girls next played a game with a basket ball called end ball, and completed their portion of the program a little later with an Indian club race. Miss Beatrix Winn has charge of the girls' athletics of the Normal school and is proving herself a competent instructor.

The Normal school boys, under the direction of L. M. Eek, came next with a series of exercises on the parallel bars and the horses. From this work they went directly to a series of floor exercises. The portion of their work which seemed to please the audience most, however, was their pyramid building. Several difficult figures were set up, which elicited considerable applause from the spectators. Several exercises prepared by the boys had to be omitted because of a lack of time.

The program as a whole was a fair sample of the work that is being done each day in the gymnasium classes of the school.

Here for Teachers' Meet.

Prof. Edwin Malotte of the Kingston schools, Superintendent McClintock of the Caldwell county schools, and County Superintendent Robison of the Clay county schools arrived in Maryville Friday noon for the teachers' meeting.

Mrs. Mary Bennett and Miss Mary Bennett went to Bolckow Friday morning, Miss Bennett to spend the week end and Mrs. Bennett to spend several days at the home of her son.

BEING HELD TODAY

THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF NORTHWEST MISSOURI I. O. O. F.

A BUSINESS MEETING

To Hold Banquet at 6 o'Clock at Ream Hotel, After That Will Have Degree Work.

The semi-annual meeting of the Northwest Missouri Odd Fellows association is being held in this city this afternoon at the local lodge room with an attendance of 250 from the lodges from over the district. The officers of the district association are Perry A. Brubaker, St. Joseph, president; C. H. Lampton of Hamilton, vice president; W. S. Marquis of Cameron, treasurer; M. S. Royer of Laclede, chaplain; Wm. H. Young of St. Joseph, temporary secretary.

Grand Master Hamilton of St. Louis was unable to be present, but Grand Scribe Ben Weidel was here to represent the grand lodge. R. M. Abercrombie of St. Joseph, past grand master, was also in attendance.

The afternoon meeting was taken up with the business of the district association and addresses by the out-of-town visitors. At 6 o'clock a banquet will be given at the Ream hotel to the visitors, and after the dinner, lodge will again take up, when there will be degree work given.

The district is composed of fifteen counties and 125 lodges.

Nearly every one of the lodges are represented by a delegate. The seven lodges of St. Joseph sent a large number of delegates.

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Herbert Mays Arrested Here Wednesday Night at Request of St. Joseph Authorities.

Herbert Mays was arrested Wednesday night at the Oak saloon on a charge of forgery at the request of the authorities of St. Joseph. He is accused with signing the name of Sam Shneider of Arkoe to a check for \$30, the check being on the Nodaway Valley bank and cashed at a clothing store in St. Joseph.

Mays is a brother of Mrs. Joe Pulliam, and came to Maryville just recently. He denies the charge.

He was taken to St. Joseph this afternoon by one of the police officers of that city.

DEATH AT BURLINGTON JUNCTION

Mrs. Sarah Hackett, an Old Resident of That Place—Funeral Arrangements Not Made.

Mrs. Sarah Hackett of Burlington Junction, a resident for many years of that place, died Thursday morning. She was past 70 years of age. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

Mrs. Hackett is survived by nine children: Mrs. A. Williams, Miss Mary Hackett, A. A. Hackett, E. E. Hackett, J. S. Hackett and Mrs. Henry Nicholas of Burlington Junction; Mrs. Thomas Nicholas of Ft. Collins, Col., and W. S. Hackett of Clyde.

Noted Violinist to give Concert In Maryville Next Wednesday



MAUD POWELL.

One of the best numbers of the Maryville lyceum course will be on next Wednesday evening, November 5, when Maud Powell, violinist, who has

ALL GET PRIZES

THE SPEAKERS WERE ALL GOOD IN DECLAMATORY CONTEST.

HARD TO CHOOSE BEST

Miss Mila Swearingen Gets First Prize for Girls and Scott Withrow for Boys—Four Awarded.

The Winners.

Miss Mila Swearingen of Albany, first; Miss Lucile McHugh, Maitland, second; Miss Ermel Sager of Stanberry, third; Miss Grace Witmer, Grant City, fourth.

Scott Withrow, Tarkio, first; Fielding Stapleton, Albany, second; Guy Harden, Stanberry, third; Paul Wilson, Grant City, fourth.

The declamatory contest Friday night by high school students from school represented in the teachers' association now on at the Northwest Normal, was as well attended as any contests that have been given at the April track meets. The enthusiasm was different, however. It was the presence of the 1,000 teachers, we suppose, who could not be expected to give vent to the noise and hurrah that they lead or incite or in some way put the youngsters up to at the track meet and declamatory contests.

And Prof. W. R. Lowrey of Hopkins and Prof. A. H. Cooper of Grant City were there, too. They were comparatively quiet, though, the impressiveness of the occasion, as shown in the conduct of all other teachers, having the effect of suppressing their risibles for the evening at least. But they will be here at the track meet next spring with a double supply of "susiasm," as a little girl said, for they certainly looked lost last night, like they would have to break out, and if it had not been for the basket ball games at 5 o'clock they surely would have.

Maulding's orchestra gave a splendid program while the crowd gathered. After County Superintendent Oakerson had made announcements concerning the program on Friday, Prof. H. P. Swinehart of the State Normal faculty was placed in charge of the exercises of the evening, and introduced each of the speakers when it came time for their effort, each having his or her place by lot. They were as follows:

Girls.

Miss Erma Sager of Stanberry, who gave "Preciosa, the Spanish Dancer," in a most charming and graceful manner.

Miss Grace Witmer of Grant City read "The Famine," from Longfellow's Hiawatha, and rendered it as well as it was ever given here previously, and in some respects better. "The Famine" has been given at contests in Maryville at least seven times, and the audience was remarkably patient and appreciative in regard to it Friday night.

Miss Mila Swearingen of Albany was winner of the first prize. She gave the story of "Dolly, Go!" with fine enthusiasm and style.

Miss Lucile McHugh of Maitland,

who won second place in the track meet declamatory contest last spring, in her rendition of "The Bear Story," won second place again with the same selection.

Boys.

Scott Withrow of Tarkio gave Senator Thurston's speech, "The Independence of Cuba," as earnestly, understandingly and eloquently, we doubt not, as it was originally given, and the audience certainly stamped its approval of the decision of the judges by the applause that followed the announcement.

Burl Wilson of Grant City won the fourth prize with his "Supposed Speech of John Adams."

Guy Harden of Stanberry gave a humorous Irish selection, "Jimmy Butler and the Owl," and was given third place. The young man surely has the Irish paddy's brogue down to a fine point, and he was a delight to everybody, faith and he was.

Fielding Stapleton of Albany was given second prize in his speech, "The Black Horse and Its Rider," a story of Benedict Arnold.

There was not an inferior speaker on the program and the judges did not have an easy thing in making their decisions. All were entitled to prizes and received them, the fourth prize being decided on by Superintendent Oakerson, when he saw how closely they stood for the honors.

The Judges.

The judges in the girls' contest were Assistant State Superintendent G. H. Reavis of Jefferson City, Prof. John Rush of Fairfax and Miss Gertrude Bennett of Oregon.

The judges in the boys' contest were Prof. Harry A. Miller of the Northwest Normal faculty, Miss Alicia Keeler of the Maryville high school faculty, and Superintendent R. J. Spickerman of the Rock Port schools.

DEATH OF MRS. RUTH TANNER.

Passed Away Thursday Night After a Year's Illness—Burial at White Cloud.

Mrs. Ruth Jane Tanner, living at 610 North Walnut street, died Thursday night after a year's illness of complication of diseases.

The funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Price & McNeal undertaking parlors, and will be conducted by Rev. Louis M. Hale of the First Baptist church. The burial will take place in the White Cloud cemetery, six miles southwest of Maryville.

Mrs. Tanner was born in the historic county of Culpepper, Virginia, October 10, 1837, and lived there the greater part of her life. Ten years ago Christmas she came to Nodaway county with her husband, the late John W. Tanner, and made their home with their son, William Tanner, who lives near Arkoe. Mr. Tanner died seven years ago at the age of 79 years. After his death Mrs. Tanner came to Maryville to make her home with her daughter, Miss Sallie Tanner, who is a tailoress at Dietz & Keck's. When she was eighteen years of age she was converted and became a charter member of the Alum Springs Baptist church of Culpepper county, Virginia, and her membership remains with that church. She is survived by her son, William Tanner of Arkoe, and two daughters, Mrs. A. M. Hitt of Culpepper, Va., who visited her a month ago, and Miss Sallie Tanner of this city.

HELENA GIRLS WON THE GAME.

Defeated the Ravenwood Girls' Team Thursday Afternoon at Normal by a 34 to 13 Score.

The basket ball game played Thursday afternoon between the Helena and Ravenwood high schools resulted in a 34 to 13 victory for the Helena girls. The game was played at the Normal gym.

The contest was spirited throughout, but the excellent team work of the Helena girls gave them an early lead which was never overcome.

The Ravenwood team took a spurt in the last half which netted them ten points, but it came too late to help the final score materially. Miss Enslow, for the Helena team, secured a total of ten field goals, while Miss Lawson netted a majority of the points for the Ravenwood team. Summary:

Ravenwood—Lawson, Ralston, forwards; DeShazer, Steiger, centers; Bently, Tucker, guards; Conn, substitute.

Helena—Enslow, Huffman, forwards; Thomson, Enslow, guards; Ott, Kraus, centers.

Field goals—Lawson 3, Ralston, Enslow 10, Huffman 3.

Free throws—Lawson 4, Enslow 4, Huffman 4.

Referee—Eek.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathis and son went to Eagleville Friday morning for a few days' visit with their parents.

INTEREST PUPILS

PRESENT SUBJECT SO THAT IT WILL BE GOTTEN BY ABSORPTION

NOT BY REPETITION

Says Dr. J. L. Merriam in Lecture—Dr. Edward A. Steiner Gives Interesting Talk.

Friday morning's program of the joint teachers' association commenced at 9 o'clock, when the sectional meetings convened in the various rooms of the Normal. These meetings were conducted by the county superintendents of the counties in the association.

At 10 o'clock Dr. J. L. Merriam of the department of school supervision of Missouri university lectured. Dr. Merriam pleaded for a more effective system of teaching. The present school system is neither normal or natural. The teacher must get in touch with the pupil and teach reading, spelling and arithmetic by not teaching them. That is to say, present the subjects in such a way that the knowledge may be of use or pleasure at the present time, and shall be gotten rather by absorption than parrot-wise repetition.

Dr. Edward A. Steiner of Grinnell college spoke at 11 o'clock on "Function and Privilege." The importance of speech and of our national tongue was stressed. "The spiritual began to develop in the savage when he found that he could communicate to his neighbor. Speech at the proper time is also another golden virtue."

The lecturer emphasized the fact that teaching is the greatest privilege in the world. The wars of the future will be settled in the school room rather than the battlefield, and the pacification of Germany and England was cited as a proof of this. The importance of preparation by the teacher was spoken of, and of the doing of each thing well.

This afternoon's meeting was taken up with various school problems.

This evening's session will open with a lecture on "Dad, Mother and the Schoolmarm," by Prof. Walter S. Athearn of Drake university, Ia. After the lecture a reception will follow to be given by the Normal.

Yesterday afternoon's program commenced with a musical program given by the pupils of the Albany high school.

Following Dr. Steiner's lecture the sectional meetings convened in the Normal school auditorium under the direction of Superintendent W. M. Oakerson. The discussion of the day was "How the County Superintendent May Aid the teacher." The question was responded to by W. W. Hall of Andrew county on "The Teacher's Viewpoint," and by Mrs. Mora Early of Worth county on "The Superintendent's Viewpoint."

The secondary schools held their meeting in the Normal school library under the direction of G. C. Allen of the Albany schools.

These meetings are of much practical value, especially to the teacher.

SATURDAY'S PROGRAM FOR THE TEACHERS' MEETING

Forenoon session.

Chairman, Mrs. Sallie V. Grebe, superintendent Atchison county.

Devotional service, conducted by Rev. S. D. Harkness.

Solo, Miss Nellie Wray.

Reading, Prof. Harry Miller.

Solo, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.

Business session.

10:00—Lecture, Miss Mabel Carney, Normal university, Normal, Ill.

11:00—Lecture, "The Earnings of an Educated Man," Prof. Walter S. Athearn, Des Moines.

Afternoon session.

1:30—Concert by Miss Alma Nash's orchestra.

2:00—Address, Hon. John T. Barker, attorney general of the state.

E. S. Grubb, who claims to be a newspaper man with many years of experience, was locked up in the county jail Thursday night, being under the influence of intoxicating liquors. Grubb claims that he was formerly on the editorial staff of the Washington Post. He was turned loose Friday.

Lewis W. Thompson, president of the Thompson Securities company of St. Louis, was in the city Friday. Mr. Thompson was here looking over the 102 drainage bonds with a view of buying them.

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Celebrating Hallowe'en in Maloney's Lot.

(By Homer Croy.)

There is a movement on foot for a safe and sane Hallowe'en that I am heartily in favor of. Ever since a certain thing happened in my youth, I have been in favor of a quiet, restful Hallowe'en.

When I was a boy, no person more enjoyed taking a gate off its hinge and carrying it over into Andrew county than the intellectual giant who is writing these lines. But a thing happened in my youth that changed me over to the progressives.

I used to think that the greatest fun in the world was to tear up a sidewalk, the last night in October, or to tie a large roan cow on somebody's back porch; but no longer do I believe in such pastimes. A thing happened one night that changed my views about Hallowe'en.

One night two other young mental athletes who would graduate from high school in the spring, and I were passing Mr. Maloney's house, when an idea struck me. In a few minutes I was myself again and suggested that we take Mr. Maloney's wagon and put it on the ridgepole of his barn. He had selected a large, heavy wagon for his use, and it wall all we could do to get it up on the fence for the first lift. I was under one corner, lifting with all my might, with my tongue sticking out, when something happened. I cannot lift unless I have my tongue out. If I am lifting and somebody comes along and put my tongue back, I had just as well quit.

It is queer what eccentricities mental giants have.

While I was lifting with all my might and my tongue, a sharp, unpleasant voice was heard in the yard. I recognized it as belonging to Mr. Maloney, who moves pianos for a livelihood. I turned, and in the pale iridescent moonlight I noticed that Mr. Maloney was accompanied by a large, determined bulldog. I did not feel drawn toward the dog, but some way or other the dog seemed to be attracted by me.

About the time I noticed Mr. Maloney and his traveling companion, the other two boys who were helping me put Mr. Maloney's wagon upon the roof of his barn out of harm's way left. My two assistants did not say where they were going, but I knew that it was not any place close. I wanted to go with them, but I was detained by the wagon. The wagon had settled back on me. Its whole weight was on my shoulders, so that my legs vibrated with the responsibility. I could not get out from under it; all I could do was to stand there and be its Atlas. I had never studied up on Atlas and had no desire for the job, but it was dropped on me. Mr. Maloney came up and punched Atlas in the ribs. Mr. Maloney, although a gifted piano mover, showed great skill in punching the man under the wagon. Endog stepped up to the man under the wagon and planted his teeth in his tibia. This tended to make the man under the wagon more anxious to be on his way.

I told Mr. Maloney that we three were sorry and explained to him that the other two had gone off to be alone in their grief and that if he would help me down with the wagon I would join them in their sorrow. Mr. Maloney helped me out from under the wagon and turned to give me some advice with his hands, but I had gone to join my companions. The dog tried to follow me, but in a few minutes he was left alone panting and disappointed. I hated to go off and leave the dog alone that way, especially when he evidenced such a great desire to keep up with me; but something told me that it was for the best. I felt that he had been with me long enough. After a bull dog with rough, uneven teeth has been with me awhile, I can go off by myself without any deep regret.

When we three young men, who had been so lately engaged in the wagon business, got together three miles south of town a few minutes later, we decided to say nothing about the matter. From that night on, Hallowe'en has lost its charm for me.

I, for one, would not weep until none could bring me solace were the custom of celebrating that night entirely done away with. I am now an advocate of the safe and sane Hallowe'en—especially among men who keep coarse-mannered bulldogs.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Memorial Services Saturday.

The president of the Woman's Relief Corps requests the members to meet at the K. P. hall Saturday afternoon promptly at 2 o'clock, to practice for the memorial service at 3 o'clock, in honor of the departed members. The G. A. R. comrades are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. Moore Will Be Hostess.

The Young Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Charles C. Moore, 118½ Kuebs flats. The assistants for the social hour are Miss Gladys Ford, Mrs. Roy Collins and Mrs. Rolla Alexander.

A Complimentary to Dr. Day.

Dr. Edna Day of Lawrence, Kan., who lectured before the teachers' association at the State Normal Friday afternoon, will be honored with a dinner at the Linville hotel Friday evening by the girls of the Sigma Delta Chi sorority. Dr. Day is the guest of Miss Hettie Anthony of the Normal faculty while in the city.

Will Hear Melba in Kansas City.

Miss Nellie Douglas accompanied Mrs. J. W. McMillan of St. Joseph to her home Friday morning and will be her guest until Saturday, and a member of the two box parties of Mrs. McMillan's voice pupils at the Auditorium Friday night, when Pasquale Amato sings. Mrs. McMillan and a number of her pupils will hear Melba in Kansas City next month.

Conservatory Party Will Hear Amato.

A party made up mostly of teachers and pupils of the Maryville Conservatory went to St. Joseph Friday evening to hear Pasquale Amato sing at the Auditorium. They are Miss Mary Hughes, Miss Katherine Helwig, Miss Lucile Baylis, Miss Hazel Everhart, Miss Martha Koch, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Grace Danner, Miss Wilma Mills, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Alice Porter, Miss Geneva Willey, Prof. W. M. Westbrook and Director P. O. Landon.

A Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Swaney of Burlington Junction planned and successfully carried out a surprise party last Saturday night in honor of the sixteenth birthday of their son Henry. The evening was spent in playing games, after which a delicious supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. June Swaney and Miss Ocie Oia Swaney. Those present beside the host, hostess and their honored son, were Mrs. Nelson Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. June Swaney and daughter, Mr. James Edwards, Misses Neva Pence, Nola and Iva Farris, Grace Murphy, Sadie, Ethel and Ocie Swaney, Gertrude Edwards, Manda Buzzard and Verda.

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The Homemakers' Class.

The first regular meeting of the Homemakers' Bible class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church was held today in the church parlors, with a zoo attendance. The Homemakers' class, which is a new organization of its kind, was formed Tuesday afternoon with twenty-two members enrolled. Mrs. Marvin Peery, president; Mrs. R. E. Hamilton, vice president, and Mrs. Floyd Brown, secretary and treasurer, are the officers. The object of the class is, as its name indicates, to increase the efficiency in things moral and spiritual of the homemakers, to promote by a united sisterhood every good interest of the home through Bible study, real interest in one another and social intercourse. The class meets in regular Bible study each Sabbath morning at 9:30, and semi-monthly for social hour, and the plan is to make this organization a real help in all that pertains to better and more efficient homemakers.

Hallowe'en Party to Friends.

Miss Vida Carmichael entertained a number of her friends with a Hallowe'en party Thursday evening at her home, 320 South Laura street. She was assisted by Martha Helpy and Ersel Harris. The prize in the apple contest went to Mary Miller, who also won the prize for pinning the black cat's tail on properly while blindfolded. After many games the guests were summoned to the basement, which turned out to be the den of Hallowe'en ghosts. A ghost served luncheon. Those present were Ersel Harris, Martha Helpy, Doris Goforth, Flossie Killon, Esther and Margaret Dietz, Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret Raines, Gladys Culverson, Gladys and Myrtle Hahn, Cecil Howard, Anna Stark, Helen Rhoades, Bernice Crawford, Ethel and Alta Ditto, Ethel Ulmer, Margery Grundy, Irene Maxwell, Mildred Avitt, Bernice Bratcher, Mary Miller, Robert Murray, Harry Allen, Orville Carmichael, the hostess, Vida, Carmichael, and the ghosts, Francis and Alberta Hahn and Mattie Carmichael.

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MARYVILLE'S ONLY
ONE PRICED CLOTHIER

Home From Wyoming.

Mrs. Vada Halley returned Friday noon from a several weeks' visit with her son, Gilbert Halley, of Sheridan, Wyo.

W. H. Whitney is offering a special inducement to auto students for the next 10 days. Enroll now and save money.

CATARRHAL TROUBLE ENDED—USE HYOMEI

You Breathe It—No Stomach Dosings
—Clears the Head.

Use nature's remedy for catarrh, or cold in the head, one that is harmless yet quick and effective.

It is the healing oils and balsams of Hyomei which you breathe through a small pocket inhaler. This curative and antiseptic air reaches the most remote air cells in the nose, throat and lungs, killing the catarrhal germs, stopping the offensive breath, raising of mucus, droppings in the throat, crusts in the nose and all other catarrhal symptoms.

The complete outfit costs only \$1.00 and Orear-Henry Drug Co. will return your money if not satisfied. Do not continue to suffer catarrhal ills—try Hyomei now—today.

INSURANCE

Did You Say

Yes here we are six strong old line companies; for all business we can get.

Chas. Hyslop

SEE IF THE CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

Mother! Don't Hesitate! If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—2,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 400.

Hogs—24,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$8.40. Estimate tomorrow, 13,000.

Sheep—17,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,000. Market steady.

Hogs—Market 5c lower; top, \$7.95.

Sheep—7,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—600. Market steady.

Hogs—Market 5c lower; top, \$7.90.

Sheep—2,500. Market strong.

TO MAKE WAR ON FIRE.

Insurance Superintendent Revelle Proposes Dividing State Into Thirty Districts and Holding Meetings.

Superintendent of Insurance Revelle has formulated a plan to organize the state into about thirty-five fire prevention districts and will hold a meeting at some accessible place in each district as soon as practicable. He will personally attend each one of these meetings and in conjunction with Means Ray, chief clerk in the insurance department, will aid in the organization and deliver an address and make suggestions as to how to reduce the fire loss and the insurance costs.

Governor Major will attend as many as possible and speak along similar lines. Representatives from each town and community will be invited and urged to attend and become members of the local organization.

Revelle has addressed a communication to each fire insurance company doing business in the state requesting the active co-operation of the officials and their numerous agents. He says there are three principal reasons for reducing fire waste: In order to conserve the resources of the state which are being too rapidly consumed, to prevent the injuring and killing of human beings, and in order to reduce insurance rates.

In this connection he says that rates are based on losses and the cost of insurance can, and will, be reduced in proportion as losses are reduced.

Star Theater.

Return engagement of the Chicago Bio-Scenograph company with entire change of program is announced by Manager Miller for next week, starting Monday. Will be "The Top o' the World" and ten other big subjects. The prices will remain at 10 and 5 cents throughout.

A \$50,000 ORCHARD.

The W. W. Grigsby Apple Orchard Contains 100 Acres—Among the Finest in the State.

The W. W. Grigsby orchard is one of the show places of Nodaway county, and it is estimated that this orchard will net the owner \$50,000 or more this year, this figure being based on what fruit has already been sold. The orchard consists of 110 acres, and is said to be among the finest in the state. The Burlington Junction Post, in speaking of Mr. Grigsby's orchard, says:

Mr. Grigsby's success has taken work and care—but it is worth it. He sprays the trees thoroughly and does not let any live stock in the orchard. The grass is cut each summer and the soil is very soft and porous. It is said that Mr. Grigsby has offered \$10 to anybody who will find a worm in his orchard. None of the lower branches are cut from the trees and most of the apples can be picked by a man standing on the ground. It is the owner's theory that the wind will not shake as many off if the trees are allowed to grow close to the ground, and the fruit is of better quality.

These figures show that the famous fruit belts of the west are no better than the orchards in Missouri if the same care and cultivation is used. In Oregon, California and other western states where such fine fruit is produced the entire orchard is given about the same care as a garden. The result is that the ground yields a gross income of \$500 to \$1,500 an acre, and Mr. Grigsby's success shows that the same can be accomplished in the middle west if the same methods are used.

Bring your car to W. H. Whitney and have it over-hauled. WHI guarantee to furnish parts for any make of car. All work guaranteed.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Pictures

Special Prices

On our new line of holiday pictures. Come in and see our display.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

Dark Days Coming!



With the shortening of the hours of daylight the strain upon the eyes becomes greater, with its consequent effect upon the vision.

Have Your Eyes Examined NOW.

Those just bordering upon the time when they need Glasses will do well to attend to it at once, while those already wearing them should see to it that they still fit as they ought to. Good eyesight can be fostered just as you can preserve anything else with proper care.

Come in Now.

Raines Brothers
1000 N. 1st St. Phone 1000

You may regard an Overcoat as a 'necessary evil' a garment for protection only, we don't. The right sort of an overcoat requires a rather large element of style—appearance counts, you know. And if you want to be regarded as a smart dresser you need one of these Overcoats. English styles? Surely. Belted back models? No end to them. Foreign fabrics? Yes, indeed. In a word completeness. The display at \$15, \$20 and \$25 afford a splendid opportunity to satisfy personal preferences to a nicety.



\$10 overcoats here that have \$15 price tickets elsewhere—but if you economize for any reason, here's your opportunity—\$10.

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Company

DON'T FEED STANDING STALKS.

The Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., Says That It is Dangerous.

The department of agriculture at Washington, D. C., has given out the following statement in regard to the danger of turning cattle into fields with standing stalks, and goes to show that stalks should be cut and cured and fed in the barnyard:

"Farmers in the corn belt, especially in the middle and upper Mississippi valley, have at various periods experienced loss of cattle pastured on standing corn stalks after the corn has been harvested in the autumn.

"An element of mystery has surrounded the death of cattle in these instances. The disease is characterized by a very rapid course; in fact, very commonly there are not premonitory symptoms, and it is not unusual for the owner upon visiting the field in the morning to find one or more fat cattle dead which in the previous evening were apparently in excellent health.

"Another peculiarity of the disease is that losses may occur on one farm or in one field while cattle on an adjoining farm or in an adjacent field may be free from the affection.

"Various investigators in the past have attempted to discover some germ or some toxic substance which might be determined as the cause of this condition, but thus far the cause of the disease has not been established.

"As death to stock from this affection is generally sudden and there is little opportunity for treatment, animals should not be turned into a field with standing stalks.

"As a matter of fact the disease may be actually prevented by cutting the stalks early and only feeding them after they have been carefully cured and removed from the field. Losses from feeding on standing corn stalks emphasize the economic value of cutting the corn and feeding the stalks in the barnyard or corral, or, better still, shredding the dry stalks, under which conditions they may be fed with the least possible waste.

"The so-called cornstalk disease should not be confused with poisoning from eating sorghum. Deaths among stock from eating sorghum have been traced to prussic acid poisoning, which poison the sorghum under certain conditions of growth has been found to contain in combination."

We Are Ready

To handle all kinds of repair work, engraving, etc., and will be able to get all work out promptly.

Our new stock of Jewelry is not all here, but New Goods are arriving daily, and we hope to have everything on display in a few days.

DeHart & Holmes

MARYVILLE'S LIVE JEWELERS

Deschauer's Old Stand

List Your Property With Us

If you want your land, lots, or other property sold this is the place to list it.

We have plenty of city property, also farms, etc., for sale. See us.

Insurance

This is headquarters for the North American Life Insurance Co. Let us write your policy.

R. Frank Wallace and G. B. Holmes

South Side of Square

Over Mark Turner's

TEACHERS INDORSE IT

PATHE WEEKLY

The latest current events in motion pictures.

"The Mothering Heart"

A Feature In Two Parts

The Mothering Heart. Always mothering something the girl came into her own. So through the mother spirit she yielded to her young advisor's persuasions. Soon her sacrificing heart brightened the path of the struggling husband—her own heart-aches forgotten for her loved one. With prosperity came the idle woman and a young wife's struggle against the truth. A new light broke, then darkened, but shone again the clearer.

The EMPIRE of Course



Adler's
Collegian Clothes
Suits and Overcoats
\$15 to \$35

WE are setting the pace in men's clothing with those nobby Adler's Collegian Suits and Overcoats. Real character, excellence of tailoring and superb ball-wool fabrics make them winners. Call and we will show you surprising values.

M. NUSBAUM

Miss Beulah Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Taylor of near Hopkins, who has been attending the high school at Boone, Ia., was in Maryville Friday on her way home on account of sickness.

Miss Mary Margaret Richey went to St. Joseph Friday morning to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Richey, who will be the guest of Miss Eva Montgomery until after the Amato concert.

NOTICE

We have sold our coal business to J. H. Gray, a man who is better known in Maryville than we are and needs no word of commendation from us. We will take no orders for coal in our own name after November 1st. All orders taken by us prior to that time will be filled according to agreement. We give your our personal guarantee for that.

We are not selling out because we do not like Maryville, her people or the people of the surrounding country, for we have enjoyed (notwithstanding we were entire strangers) a very liberal and increasing patronage all the time, which makes us have a very warm place in our hearts for the people with whom we have come in contact.

Again thanking you for your liberal patronage and courteous treatment, we bespeak for our successor a liberal share of your patronage.

Truly your servant,

W. B. PORTER

ATTENTION

We have an attractive advertising proposition we will explain to any one wishing to sell their farm or town property. Call and have a talk with us at once.

We Write City Insurance

Representing three of the largest companies doing business in the United States.

RHODES LAND COMPANY

202½ N. Main St.

Maryville, Mo.

Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion, Saturday, Nov. 1, 1913

HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS and SHEEP—
All kinds and classes. Boars of all breeds, and some choice gilts.

What do you want to sell?

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

NOTE OF WARNING TO BUSINESS MEN

Hill and Vanderlip Talk to Investment Bankers.

NOW TIME TO SHOW COURAGE

Railroad Builder Declares Timid Financiers Are Allowing Recession to Develop—Says Country Is Waterlogged With Bonds—Fiat Money Peril.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—James J. Hill and Frank A. Vanderlip, the speakers at the banquet that closed the convention here of the Investment Bankers' Association of America, each sounded a note of warning to the business interests of the country. Mr. Hill, whose subject was "Railroad Financing of the Future," declared that "the country is waterlogged with bonds. Confidence cannot be restored," he said, "until the name bond has won back something of its old standard."

Mr. Hill said that timidity on the part of financiers was allowing a recession to develop. "This is the time for men to show courage," he asserted. "If big men are not willing to accept their responsibilities they should lay them down. If responsible men would do their part the depression would not last. As for the politicians, it is useless to hope that they will put themselves out of a job by keeping quiet."

Vanderlip Sees Fiat Money Peril. Mr. Vanderlip said that congress was in danger of saddling on the country a ruinous policy of fiat money. The senate, he said, was hesitating and fearful of doing anything against the wishes of the house.

Mr. Vanderlip spoke on the pending banking legislation. "The fatal defect of the Glass bill," he said, "is that it starts the country on an issue of fiat currency. The notes proposed are fiat notes. They have no reserve whatever provided by the government and they are to be loaned without limit to a number of banks."

"There is no case in all history where a nation has started on an issue of fiat money that the result has not been a complete breakdown of the financial system of that country."

Mr. Vanderlip urged, instead of regional banks, a single central bank owned by the people and under government control.

NORRIS IS NONPARTISAN

Senator From Nebraska Sends Answer to Progressives.

Washington, Oct. 31.—Senator Norris left for Massachusetts, where he is to campaign in behalf of his former colleague Representative A. P. Gardner, candidate for governor on the Republican ticket. His principal opponent is a Progressive, Charles S. Bird.

Certain Nebraska Progressive supporters of Senator Norris wired him expressing disapproval that he did not support Bird instead of Gardner. The senator has sent them a letter giving his reasons for supporting Gardner. They are based on the fight the two made against Speaker Cannon and so called boss rule.

"I am not married to any name," he said. "Personally, I am practically non-partisan and unless Progressives can in some way get together I shall support known progressives against known standpatters regardless of party affiliations."

CENTRAL BANK PROVES SNAG

Prevents Progress in Consideration of Currency Bill.

Washington, Oct. 31.—The proposed government-controlled central bank plan prevented progress again in the senate committee's consideration of the administration currency bill. After an all-day discussion of the number of regional banks to be created to administer the proposed new system, the committee adjourned without taking a vote on a single proposition.

Discussion of the question involved any number of regional banks from three to fifteen. Senator Owen, leading the administration adherents on the committee, proposed the number be reduced from twelve to ten. This was accepted as the extent to which the president is willing to go in his concession that the number should be reduced.

Rail Commissioners Adopt Substitute

Washington, Oct. 31.—Another determined effort to have the so called "state's rights" resolution adopted by the National Association of Railway Commissioners resulted in the adoption of a substitute offered by Commissioner Esselman of California which, without going into constitutional questions, declared it "the sense of this association that no legislation by congress at this time attempting to enlarge the jurisdiction of the interstate commerce commission over commerce is necessary or desirable."

Officers and Students Battle.

Minneapolis, Oct. 31.—A dozen policemen and a score of detectives engaged in a desperate battle with 500 University of Minnesota students, high school boys and other sympathizers at a local theater. Clarence Windmiller, a doorkeeper at the theater, was knocked unconscious and two students, Giles McHenry and F. L. Rafferty, alleged ringleaders in the riot, were locked up in police headquarters.

INDIGESTION ENDED, STOMACH FEELS FINE

Time "Pape's Diapepsin!" In Five Minutes All Sourness, Gas, Heartburn and Dyspepsia Is Gone.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and stubborn lumps; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the magic in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all stomach misery vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have a bad stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" regulate weak, out-of-order stomachs that gives it its millions of sales annually.

Get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest stomach relief and cure known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home.—Advertisement.

COURT NEXT TUESDAY.

Adjournment Taken Thursday to That Time When Judge Peery Will Sit as Judge.

Circuit court adjourned Thursday afternoon to next Tuesday, when Judge J. W. Peery of Albany will sit as special judge in the case of Elizabeth Growney vs. Patrick J. O'Donnell.

In the case of Harriett D. Fine et al. vs. Nellie V. Morehouse et al., partition, motion for rehearing was overruled and appeal granted to the supreme court.

C. H. Nold Lumber company vs. Minerva McKee et al., mechanics' lien, judgment given to the plaintiff against building for \$756.55. Appeal granted to the Kansas City court of appeals.

MRS. W. W. LAKE

Tells Others How to Get Strong and Well.

Mrs. W. W. Lake of Aberdeen, Miss., says: "The gripe had left me in a weak, run down condition from which I suffered for some time. I tried different remedies but nothing seemed to do me any good until I took Vinol, from which I received great benefit. My cough is almost entirely gone and I am strong and well again, and I am glad to recommend Vinol to others who suffer as I did."

Mrs. Lake's recovery was due to the combined action of the medicinal elements extracted from cods' livers—combined with the blood making and strength creating properties of tonic iron, which are contained in Vinol, and her cough disappeared as a natural result.

We guarantee that Vinol will do all we claim and will pay back your money if Vinol does not satisfy you. Grear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

National Prohibition Indorsed.

Indianapolis, Oct. 31.—A resolution indorsing national prohibition and the campaign of the National Anti-Saloon league to suppress the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages was adopted by the national convention of Methodist men amid great applause.

Actor Freed of Mann Act Charge.

Baltimore, Oct. 31.—Grover C. Rosenthal, an actor of New York, charged with violation of the Mann white slave act, was acquitted in the federal district court.

Glasses that Fit the Eyes Correctly TESTS FREE

Prices Reasonable.

H. T. CRANE

Jeweler and Optician.

Yellow Chrysanthemums for Hallowe'en

We have plenty of them, also other colors, 15c, 20c and 25c each. Made-up baskets for Hallowe'en parties and decorations, all sizes and prices from 50c each up. Also plenty of roses, carnations, violets, etc. We deliver any size order promptly.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

1001 South Main St. Phones 17.

This Column Belongs to

The Sisson Loan and Title Co.

Rooms Over Nodaway Valley Bank

TO OUR FRIENDS

We want 100 farms and city properties to sell at once.

We are going to revise our list and publish a new booklet. If you want in list your property at once with us.

We have a number of farms and city properties for sale. Do you want to buy? Come see us.

If you want to rent your farm or city property let us know.

Don't forget we own most complete up-to-date abstract books, make farm and city loans, write all kinds of insurance, and are prepared to make abstracts promptly, examine titles, invest trust funds and transact all branches in our line with care and celerity. All business confidential.

Safety vault and boxes for use of customers.

Entrust your business with us. Many years successful business without a dollar loss to a client is our best guarantee.

WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interruption insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

WANTED—A young man to shuck corn. Farmers phone 23-12. S. P. Houston. 30-1

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, fall and spring farrow. Write or call 1-13 Farmers. A. B. Dowden, route 3.

FOR SALE—Household goods and canned fruit, at 207 West Ninth street. Mrs. Loyd Miles. 29-31

FOR SALE—Two 6-foot show cases in good condition. Andrews & Hempstead. 29-31

Telephone us your order for plumbing or repairs. We will be on the job promptly. Standard Plumbing Co.

WANTED—Work on farm by man and wife. Louis Ripe, 2704 Merry street, St. Joseph, Mo. 31-2

WANTED—A horse for its keep; light driving and good care guaranteed, T. F. Drayton, Ream hotel, city. 31-2

THE NU BONE CORSET, Boning and fit guaranteed. Saturdays Parisian Millinery. Phone 3725. Mrs. Anna Day. 16-11

FOR SALE—22 yearling steers around 700 pounds. W. D. Hoshor, Maryville. R. No. 4 Maryville. Barnard phone. 30-1

POLAND-CHINAS—Four thoroughbred males, from 700-pound 2-year-old hog, at Hosmer's sale next Saturday. E. E. Woodward, Arkoe. 29-31

NO MYSTERY about the way we do good work. Expert tailors always give satisfaction. Becker, clothes doctor. 209½, North Main.

FOR SALE—Poland China pigs male and female. Also male Jersey calf. Inquire of Alfred Allen, West Third street, Maryville. 8-11

FOR SALE—Young pure bred Short-horn bulls, Scotch and Scotch topped Reds and roans. E. Ogden & Son Maryville. 8-11

WANTED—To trade a new 1913 Singer sewing machine for a good, sound horse; must be young and weigh not less than 1,000 pounds. T. F. Drayton, Ream hotel, city. 31-2

FOR SALE—80 acres 6 miles south west of Maryville. Good improvements, also nearly new Ford touring car fully equipped. Will trade car for live stock. See me if interested. Howard Greeson, R. 4, Maryville, or Farmers phone 15-11. 29-11

FOR SALE—Eight sucking mules, 9-year-old jack, mammoth; coach horse. Colts will prove reputations. One of F. P. Robinson's mammoth spotted male pigs. Will sell all or one-half of my 313 acre farm. Will rent all for cash. R. T. Lamar, E. mo. 17-1

FOR SALE OR RENT—At once, a good upright piano. Enquire at this office. Terms are reasonable. 31-2

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Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 288.

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